4th Sunday in Lent

Diocese of Wrexham Registered Charity Number 700426

Our Lady Star of the Sea R.C Church, Llandudno

Served by the Missionaries of St Paul



Mass times for this week, 13th March, 2021:

Saturday:4:30pm Sunday: 09:30am

Sunday: Adoration 5:30pm

Wednesday: Mass (St Patrick): 12 noon (Stations of the Cross):

6:30pm

Friday: 12 noon

All other Masses will be celebrated privately by Father Isek.

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Continuation of Marks' Gospel 1:28-45

And his reputation at once spread everywhere, through all the surrounding Galilean countryside. And at once on leaving the synagogue, he went with James and John straight to the house of Simon and Andrew. Now Simon's mother-in-law was in bed and feverish, and at once they told him about her. He went in to her, took her by the hand and helped her up. And the fever left her and she began to serve them. That evening, after sunset, they brought to him all who were sick and those who were possessed by devils. The whole town came crowding round the door, and he cured many who were sick with diseases of one kind or another; he also drove out many devils, but he would not allow them to speak, because they knew who he was. In the morning, long before dawn, he got up and left the house and went off to a lonely place and prayed there. Simon and his companions set out in search of him, and when they found him they said, Everybody is looking for you.' He answered, 'Let us go elsewhere, to the neighbouring country towns, so that I can proclaim the message there too, because that is why I came.' And he went all through Galilee, preaching in their synagogues and driving out devils. A man suffering from a virulent skindisease came to him and pleaded on his knees saying, 'If you are willing, you can cleanse me.' Feeling sorry for him, Jesus stretched out his hand, touched him and said to him, 'I am willing. Be cleansed.' And at once the skin-disease left him and he was cleansed. And at once Jesus sternly sent him away and said to him, 'Mind you tell no one anything, but go and show yourself to the priest, and make the offering for your cleansing prescribed by Moses as evidence to them.' The man went away, but then started freely proclaiming and telling the story everywhere, so that Jesus could no longer go openly into any town, but tayed outside in deserted places. Even so, people from all around kept coming to him.

In your charity please pray for our sick and housebound brothers and sisters:

Jennifer Congreve, Doreen Barker, Bob Lemon, Pat Wilcox, Janice Lockwood, Stephen O'Connell, Jim Kane, Shelagh Scraggs, Jennifer Hamlett, Olive McStay, Emmie Kelly, Maureen Barber, Sister Patricia Lane IBVM. Recently dead: Mary Howells Sick clergy: Fr Tony Jones, Mgr James Fealey, Fr Paschal Dormer and Canon David Eccleshare; Fr Ian Dalgleish and Canon Bernard Lordan.

Shielding Parishioners: If you are shielding or know someone who is, please contact the office on 01492860546 or priestllandudno@rcdwxm.org.uk

Rosary and Adoration: Every Saturday at 10am, our young people lead the mysteries of the most holy Rosary, come along and spend a short while away from the world, with Jesus is the most blessed Sacrament. Confessions available during the Rosary.

Mass intentions: You are invited to send in your Mass intentions via the office or you can post an envelope through the Presbytery door. Masses can be offered for many intentions such as celebrations, healing, a happy marriage, the sick and for those who have passed away.

"A mass offered for the living is worth 1000 for the dead. " (St Anselm)

Notice for all: The Parish office is closed on Mondays, please direct any enquiries to priestllandudno@rcdwxm.org.uk. In an emergency, such as

Last weeks' Offering

Plate: £312.96

Gift Aid: £413

Thank you for your generosity!

We encourage you to join the gift aid scheme if you are able please contact 01492860546

Making a donation:

There are many ways to donate including cash, cheque and bank transfer. Our Bank details are below for anyone wanting to do the latter:

Bank name: NatWest Account number: 08157677

Sort code: 55-81-42

Many thanks to Parishioners for their individual donations of £1250 collectively this week in aid of our roof.

Readings for this Sunday

First reading: 2 Chronicles 36:14-16,19-23 Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 136(137):1-6 **Second reading:** Ephesians 2:4-10

Gospel acclamation: Glory and praise to you, O Christ! God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son: everyone who believes in him has eternal life. Glory and praise to you, O Christ!

Gospel: John 3:14-21

Stations of the Cross

Stations of the Cross weekly, Wednesday-

17/03/2021: 6:30pm

Wednesday- 24/03/2021: 6:30pm

Friday- 02/04/2021: 11am

Please join us to walk the way of the Cross during the season of Lent.

Confessions during Holy week:

Monday 29th March 11am-12pm

Tuesday 30th March 5:30pm-6:30pm

Ask the Priest

If you have any questions regarding our Catholic faith, including questions on faith and the Liturgy please feel free to ask our Parish Priest, Father Agbor F. Isek, MSP

Flower arrangers

We need flower arrangers, if you are interested in doing this, please contact the office on 01492860546 or priestllandudno@rcdwxm.org.uk

anointing of the sick please call 01492860546.

Holy week Mass and service times 2021

Palm Sunday: Saturday (27/03) (vigil): 4:30pm

Sunday (28/03): 09:30am

Chrism Mass: Wednesday: 10:30am via Zoom, link to be shared at a later date.

Maundy Thursday Mass: 1/4/2021: 6:30pm -Please note, no watching with the Blessed Sacrament for the lay faithful is permitted this year.

Good Friday: 2/04/2021: Stations of the Cross: 11am

Service for the Passion of Jesus Christ: 3pm

Holy Saturday: 3/04/2021 Easter Vigil: 7pm

Easer Sunday: 4/04/2021: Mass: 09:30am &11:30am

Numbers at these Masses will be limited to our Max occupancy. The Bishops conference reminds anyone who is unable to attend that the dispensation is still in place.



Saint Patrick's Day 2021

Public Mass will be celebrated at 12 noon: Who was Saint Patrick? St.

Patrick of Ireland and Nigeria, is one of the world's most popular saints. He was born in Roman Britain and when he was fourteen or so, he was captured by Irish pirates during a raiding party and taken to Ireland as a slave to herd and tend sheep. Patrick's captivity lasted until he was twenty, when he escaped after having a dream from God in which he was told to leave Ireland by going to the coast. A few years after returning home, Patrick saw a vision he described in his memoir: "I saw a man coming, as it were from Ireland. His name was Victoricus, and he carried many letters, and he gave me one of them. I read the heading: 'The Voice of the Irish.' As I began the letter, I imagined in that moment that I heard the voice of those very people who were near the wood of Foclut, which is beside the western sea-and they cried out, as with one voice: 'We appeal to you, holy servant boy, to come and walk among us.' "Patrick preached and converted all of Ireland for 40 years. He worked many miracles and wrote of his love for God in Confessions. After years of living in poverty, traveling and enduring much suffering he died March 17, 461."Christ be within me, Christ behind me, Christ before me, Christ beside me, Christ to win me, Christ to comfort and restore me, Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ inquired, Christ in danger,

Christ in hearts of all that love me, Christ in

mouth of friend and stranger."